

**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE**

In the specification, on page 1, line 6, the following paragraph was added:

**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application is related to the following U.S. Patent Applications: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/752,574, entitled "Communication and Control Network For Distributed Power Resource Units", filed on December 29, 2001 and U.S. Patent Application No. 09/752,383, entitled "Service Bureau for Provision of a Communication Management and Control Network for Distributed Power Resource Units", filed on December 29, 2001.